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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

DATE 12/14/12 **WESTERN DISTRICT OF LOUISIANA**

MONROE DIVISION

KEVIN LAMAR PITTS

* **CIVIL ACTION NO. 12-1010**

VERSUS

* **JUDGE ROBERT G. JAMES**

**WARDEN, LOUISIANA STATE
PENITENTIARY**

* **MAG. JUDGE KAREN L. HAYES**

J U D G M E N T

The Report and Recommendation of the Magistrate Judge [Doc. No. 20] has been considered, together with the written objections [Doc. Nos. 21 & 22] thereto filed with this Court, and, after a *de novo* review of the record, finding that the Magistrate Judge's Report and Recommendation is correct and that judgment as recommended therein is warranted for the reasons set forth in the Report and Recommendation and this Court's Ruling,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED that the Petitioner's Petition for Writ of *Habeas Corpus* under 28 U.S.C. § 2254 [Doc. No. 1] is hereby **DENIED** and **DISMISSED WITH PREJUDICE**.

MONROE, LOUISIANA, this 14 day of December, 2012.



ROBERT G. JAMES
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE